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**I. Title of Invention**

**II. Brief Description of Invention\***

**\*For a complete description please include an Attachment with the following:**

1. Background of the Invention and Related Technologies (the problem the invention solves)
  - a. Are there existing products that address the same problem that the Invention solves? Please name and describe them.
  - b. List all relevant publications, patents and competing inventors or labs that you are aware of.
2. Unique Features of the Invention
  - a. List all of the features that distinguish the Invention over the Related Technologies.
3. Detailed Description of the Invention including:
  - a. How to make and use the Invention
  - b. Best mode of making the Invention
  - c. Drawings or pictures of all aspects of the Invention
4. Possible alternative versions of the Invention
5. Probable uses of the Invention

**III. Funding and/or Sponsorship:** Please include all outside agencies, foundations, organizations, or companies and the applicable contract or grant number(s) that provided funding to any inventor for the research that led to the invention. Please also include any companies that have supplied materials in exchange for intellectual property rights. **(If there is no funding or sponsorship, then mark *None*.)**

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Please provide the year(s) of the award(s) related to this invention disclosure: \_\_\_\_\_

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1.	Date of Conception:	Documented? <b>Y</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>N</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	Form of documentation:
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**Name of Primary Contact for CTL regarding this invention:** \_\_\_\_\_

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